ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Allendale Public Schools, located in Allendale Michigan will receive proposals for Network switches and for phone systems.

Proposals may be mailed or delivered in person to Paul Mulder, Technology Director, 10760 68th Ave. Allendale MI 49401, and must be received prior to 11:00 a.m., local time, on Tuesday, January 20, 2009. Proposals received after this time will not be accepted. All proposals must be sealed in envelopes, plainly labeled "Electronics Bid" and "Proposal for Allendale Phone System Project" respectively. All proposals will be opened publicly and read aloud at the location noted above at this time.

A bid security in the amount of 5% of the bid, in the form of bond or certified check, is required and payable to Allendale Public Schools. Performance, labor and material bond costs (which shall cover 100% of the value of the project) should be bid separately on the line provided on the bid form. Do not include the cost of PLM Bonds in your base bid.

All proposals shall be accompanied by a sworn and notarized statement disclosing any familial relationship between the owner and any employee of the bidder and any member of the Board of Education. Proposals that are not accompanied by this sworn and notarized statement of disclosure will not be accepted. A form of this statement is available for use in the bid document.

Prospective Bidders desiring a complete set of Bid and Specification Documents may obtain them from http://www.apsfalcons.org or from Allendale Public Schools Technology Office. Any questions can be directed to Paul Mulder, Technology Director, Allendale Public Schools (616) 892-3483.

The Owner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities in proposals. Proposals shall remain firm for sixty (60) days from date of bid opening.